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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:

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Examiner: Tuan Pham

For: COMMUNICATION DEVICE, AND METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR  
INFORMATION PROCESSING THEREOF

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

**Attention: After Final**

Commissioner for Patents

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed  
October 30, 2009 finally rejecting claims 1-7, 11-14, 17 and 18.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. EXTENSION OF TIME PETITION AND FEE

— Attached is a petition for a -month extension of time  
for reply to the final rejection. \$

2. APPEAL FEE

X Other than a small entity 540.00

TOTAL FEE \$ 540.00

3. PAYMENT

☐ Check attached for the total fee of \$ 540.00 .

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